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**Applicant(s):** Ramzi YEHIA et al.  
**Serial No.:** 09/757,227  
**For:** *METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING AND CORRELATING  
ORDERS IN A MULTILATERAL ENVIRONMENT*

**Enclosed are the following:**  
Transmittal Letter (1 pg.); and Amendment and Election (4 pgs.)

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## TRANSMITTAL

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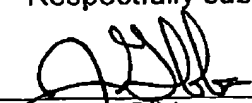
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	6	-	24	0	18.00 <i>(9.00)</i>	0
Independent claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	2	-	6	0	86.00 <i>(43.00)</i>	0
Multiple Dependent <i>(Small Entity)</i>	0	-	0	0	290.00 <i>(145.00)</i>	0
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